

Thinking About Fighting Your ALR?

Consider The Facts

You have the right to file a petition for a hearing to dispute your administrative license revocation (ALR) within 10 days of receiving your DUI.

However, you should understand the following:

- > If you lose your ALR hearing, the DMV will NOT grant you an ignition interlock permit (IIP).
- > Your access to an IIP will be delayed until court sentencing, which could take up to six months.

If you need to drive to and from work and school, you may want to waive your ALR hearing and apply for an ignition interlock permit.



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NO INTERLOCK KEYS

It's that simple.

A guide to choosing the ignition interlock system in Nebraska.



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KEEP DRIVING WITH INTERLOCK

As of January 1, 2012, Nebraska has new DUI laws that allow offenders to waive their administrative license revocation (ALR) hearing and apply for an ignition interlock permit (IIP) instead.

To keep your keys, you must complete the following steps.

STEP 1: Verify Eligibility

Call the Department of Motor Vehicles at (402) 471-3985 to find out whether you are eligible to apply for an IIP. If this is not your first DUI offense or if you refused to take the chemical test, you may have a required no-drive period. No-drive periods are:

- > **None** – First-time offenders who failed a chemical test
- > **45 days** – Prior offenders who failed a chemical test
- > **90 days** – All offenders who refused a chemical test

A complete list of no-drive periods can be found at ClickDMV.ne.gov.

STEP 2: Install Interlock

Once you verify your eligibility, you will need to have an ignition interlock device installed in each car you plan to operate. Ignition interlock devices cannot be installed in a commercial motor vehicle (CMV).

To find a list of authorized installers, visit ClickDMV.ne.gov.

STEP 3: Submit Application Paperwork

Next, you can apply for your IIP. All necessary paperwork and eligibility requirements must be submitted to the Department of Motor Vehicles, Financial Responsibility Division, in Lincoln.

Application requirements include:

- > Nebraska residency
- > Current certificate of installation for an approved device
- > Current driver license (to be surrendered)
- > Reinstatement of any other open suspensions or revocations

Visit ClickDMV.ne.gov to learn more about application requirements and to download forms.

STEP 4: Get Your Permit

Once your application is approved by the DMV, you can go to any licensing station in Nebraska to get your IIP. Your permit will give you limited driving privileges. Please note: You cannot operate a CMV with the IIP.

You've already made one bad decision—don't follow it up with another. Choose interlock and keep your keys, or request an ALR hearing and risk losing them until your court sentencing date.

To find out more, visit ClickDMV.ne.gov.



What is an ignition interlock device?

Commonly referred to as an interlock, it is a mechanism that is installed in your vehicle's dashboard to monitor your breath alcohol concentration. To start your vehicle, you must blow into the interlock and provide a clean reading under 0.03. The device will also require random running tests while you are driving.